



Crop Progress

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Corn Silking – Selected States

[These 18 States planted 92% of the 2022 corn acreage]

State	Week ending			2018-2022 Average
	July 23, 2022	July 16, 2023	July 23, 2023	
Colorado	35	5	30	45
Illinois	78	70	88	77
Indiana	65	40	64	66
Iowa	61	49	79	71
Kansas	59	55	68	69
Kentucky	75	59	73	77
Michigan	47	13	28	44
Minnesota	45	44	72	64
Missouri	80	81	90	80
Nebraska	65	52	77	70
North Carolina	84	85	89	92
North Dakota	27	20	45	39
Ohio	50	13	29	53
Pennsylvania	27	4	11	42
South Dakota	38	35	63	50
Tennessee	91	84	91	89
Texas	85	78	85	86
Wisconsin	30	8	25	42
18 States	58	47	68	65

Corn Dough – Selected States

[These 18 States planted 92% of the 2022 corn acreage]

State	Week ending			2018-2022 Average
	July 23, 2022	July 16, 2023	July 23, 2023	
Colorado	9	-	-	4
Illinois	15	7	18	18
Indiana	9	4	11	10
Iowa	7	8	19	11
Kansas	18	13	24	24
Kentucky	22	11	26	24
Michigan	7	-	2	2
Minnesota	4	5	18	6
Missouri	32	21	39	32
Nebraska	7	1	10	13
North Carolina	54	35	46	59
North Dakota	-	-	2	1
Ohio	7	-	-	5
Pennsylvania	1	-	-	2
South Dakota	-	-	7	6
Tennessee	46	34	52	50
Texas	67	60	68	65
Wisconsin	1	-	-	2
18 States	12	7	16	14

- Represents zero.

Corn Condition – Selected States: Week Ending July 23, 2023

[These 18 States planted 92% of the 2022 corn acreage]

State	Very poor (percent)	Poor (percent)	Fair (percent)	Good (percent)	Excellent (percent)
Colorado	6	5	20	55	14
Illinois	7	15	33	37	8
Indiana	4	8	27	53	8
Iowa	2	7	28	53	10
Kansas	3	7	32	45	13
Kentucky	2	6	30	53	9
Michigan	4	9	48	36	3
Minnesota	3	10	33	43	11
Missouri	17	22	34	25	2
Nebraska	6	9	23	42	20
North Carolina	1	4	16	72	7
North Dakota	1	5	29	61	4
Ohio	1	5	26	56	12
Pennsylvania	-	9	28	45	18
South Dakota	2	7	33	48	10
Tennessee	2	6	21	57	14
Texas	1	4	25	51	19
Wisconsin	4	11	37	39	9
18 States	4	9	30	46	11
Previous week	4	9	30	46	11
Previous year	4	10	25	48	13

- Represents zero.

Soybeans Blooming – Selected States

[These 18 States planted 95% of the 2022 soybean acreage]

State	Week ending			2018-2022 Average
	July 23, 2022	July 16, 2023	July 23, 2023	
Arkansas	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Illinois	87	89	93	86
Indiana	53	61	77	63
Iowa	60	42	59	61
Kansas	70	68	81	73
Kentucky	48	46	59	55
Louisiana	57	42	50	52
Michigan	97	92	96	95
Minnesota	67	36	49	59
Mississippi	66	66	78	74
Missouri	94	90	93	87
Missouri	47	56	68	50
Nebraska	65	61	75	72
North Carolina	62	49	58	49
North Dakota	62	47	72	68
Ohio	63	21	46	63
South Dakota	47	44	62	60
Tennessee	67	64	73	63
Wisconsin	62	38	57	64
18 States	62	56	70	66

Soybeans Setting Pods – Selected States

[These 18 States planted 95% of the 2022 soybean acreage]

State	Week ending			2018-2022 Average
	July 23, 2022	July 16, 2023	July 23, 2023	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Arkansas	65	62	73	62
Illinois	18	19	38	31
Indiana	22	9	20	29
Iowa	29	17	35	33
Kansas	10	16	24	20
Kentucky	29	20	29	28
Louisiana	87	70	86	83
Michigan	29	5	13	25
Minnesota	17	27	43	31
Mississippi	79	70	78	65
Missouri	16	19	31	19
Nebraska	29	20	33	35
North Carolina	34	24	35	26
North Dakota	10	14	33	23
Ohio	25	7	17	25
South Dakota	12	11	28	22
Tennessee	35	30	43	33
Wisconsin	23	7	16	28
18 States	24	20	35	31

Soybean Condition – Selected States: Week Ending July 23, 2023

[These 18 States planted 95% of the 2022 soybean acreage]

State	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Arkansas	2	5	22	48	23
Illinois	5	17	34	37	7
Indiana	3	8	30	51	8
Iowa	2	8	32	50	8
Kansas	1	10	31	48	10
Kentucky	1	6	29	57	7
Louisiana	1	1	22	63	13
Michigan	4	14	49	31	2
Minnesota	2	8	34	49	7
Mississippi	-	3	18	64	15
Missouri	14	22	37	25	2
Nebraska	8	11	25	40	16
North Carolina	1	1	29	63	6
North Dakota	3	10	38	47	2
Ohio	1	6	30	54	9
South Dakota	2	8	34	50	6
Tennessee	2	5	23	56	14
Wisconsin	5	16	37	35	7
18 States	4	10	32	46	8
Previous week	4	9	32	47	8
Previous year	3	8	30	49	10

- Represents zero.

Cotton Squaring – Selected States

[These 15 States planted 99% of the 2022 cotton acreage]

State	Week ending			2018-2022 Average
	July 23, 2022	July 16, 2023	July 23, 2023	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Alabama	89	88	92	87
Arizona	100	91	99	98
Arkansas	97	93	95	97
California	84	75	85	83
Georgia	89	76	88	90
Kansas	95	72	88	80
Louisiana	97	83	92	97
Mississippi	89	76	85	85
Missouri	85	87	95	80
North Carolina	75	68	82	83
Oklahoma	66	32	79	66
South Carolina	89	66	79	82
Tennessee	84	83	89	84
Texas	74	56	70	74
Virginia	98	75	84	86
15 States	79	64	78	79

Cotton Setting Bolls – Selected States

[These 15 States planted 99% of the 2022 cotton acreage]

State	Week ending			2018-2022 Average
	July 23, 2022	July 16, 2023	July 23, 2023	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Alabama	63	40	60	54
Arizona	83	56	60	73
Arkansas	75	61	71	80
California	29	15	25	38
Georgia	49	28	45	53
Kansas	38	12	36	18
Louisiana	81	45	63	75
Mississippi	58	29	51	52
Missouri	56	10	25	45
North Carolina	33	14	25	42
Oklahoma	9	-	25	19
South Carolina	61	19	41	46
Tennessee	49	30	43	40
Texas	42	22	30	31
Virginia	59	21	35	39
15 States	46	25	37	39

- Represents zero.

Cotton Condition – Selected States: Week Ending July 23, 2023

[These 15 States planted 99% of the 2022 cotton acreage]

State	Very poor (percent)	Poor (percent)	Fair (percent)	Good (percent)	Excellent (percent)
Alabama	-	2	13	72	13
Arizona	1	-	-	50	49
Arkansas	2	5	16	47	30
California	-	-	5	95	-
Georgia	1	5	23	60	11
Kansas	1	6	29	48	16
Louisiana	-	-	12	77	11
Mississippi	-	4	25	64	7
Missouri	-	2	22	74	2
North Carolina	-	7	34	59	-
Oklahoma	-	5	23	69	3
South Carolina	1	1	33	56	9
Tennessee	5	7	24	51	13
Texas	14	26	36	21	3
Virginia	-	2	10	87	1
15 States	8	16	30	39	7
Previous week	12	16	27	38	7
Previous year	15	15	36	29	5

- Represents zero.

Sorghum Headed – Selected States

[These 6 States planted 100% of the 2022 sorghum acreage]

State	Week ending			2018-2022 Average
	July 23, 2022	July 16, 2023	July 23, 2023	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Colorado	9	-	9	13
Kansas	11	12	20	17
Nebraska	19	5	13	26
Oklahoma	30	11	16	29
South Dakota	32	32	49	29
Texas	83	75	80	80
6 States	34	29	36	37

- Represents zero.

Sorghum Coloring – Selected States

[These 6 States planted 100% of the 2022 sorghum acreage]

State	Week ending			2018-2022 Average
	July 23, 2022	July 16, 2023	July 23, 2023	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Colorado	1	-	-	-
Kansas	-	4	6	1
Nebraska	-	-	-	1
Oklahoma	4	-	6	7
South Dakota	1	-	1	-
Texas	62	55	62	63
6 States	19	17	21	19

- Represents zero.

Sorghum Condition – Selected States: Week Ending July 23, 2023

[These 6 States planted 100% of the 2022 sorghum acreage]

State	Very poor (percent)	Poor (percent)	Fair (percent)	Good (percent)	Excellent (percent)
Colorado	-	6	12	66	16
Kansas	3	7	38	41	11
Nebraska	1	4	32	51	12
Oklahoma	-	9	14	59	18
South Dakota	2	11	39	45	3
Texas	6	8	22	40	24
6 States	3	7	30	45	15
Previous week	3	7	32	47	11
Previous year	11	17	42	27	3

- Represents zero.

Peanuts Pegging – Selected States

[These 8 States planted 96% of the 2022 peanut acreage]

State	Week ending			2018-2022 Average
	July 23, 2022	July 16, 2023	July 23, 2023	
Alabama	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Alabama	77	61	72	82
Florida	93	88	94	87
Georgia	90	78	87	91
North Carolina	74	64	80	77
Oklahoma	49	20	52	48
South Carolina	86	81	90	81
Texas	38	23	45	41
Virginia	87	60	70	74
8 States	81	69	80	80

Peanut Condition – Selected States: Week Ending July 23, 2023

[These 8 States planted 96% of the 2022 peanut acreage]

State	Very poor (percent)	Poor (percent)	Fair (percent)	Good (percent)	Excellent (percent)
Alabama	-	-	16	64	20
Florida	-	3	11	83	3
Georgia	1	5	23	62	9
North Carolina	-	-	31	69	-
Oklahoma	-	-	2	98	-
South Carolina	-	1	23	70	6
Texas	2	3	50	44	1
Virginia	-	-	13	87	-
8 States	1	3	24	64	8
Previous week	1	3	28	62	6
Previous year	-	3	27	62	8

- Represents zero.

Rice Headed – Selected States

[These 6 States planted 100% of the 2022 rice acreage]

State	Week ending			2018-2022 Average
	July 23, 2022	July 16, 2023	July 23, 2023	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Arkansas	18	22	38	25
California	38	17	20	27
Louisiana	84	72	83	83
Mississippi	61	59	64	59
Missouri	20	30	39	23
Texas	67	73	80	81
6 States	37	36	47	40

Rice Condition – Selected States: Week Ending July 23, 2023

[These 6 States planted 100% of the 2022 rice acreage]

State	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Arkansas	2	6	19	51	22
California	-	-	-	75	25
Louisiana	1	1	40	46	12
Mississippi	-	3	22	63	12
Missouri	-	-	21	66	13
Texas	-	2	13	72	13
6 States	1	3	20	57	19
Previous week	1	4	22	57	16
Previous year	1	2	22	58	17

- Represents zero.

Winter Wheat Harvested – Selected States

[These 18 States harvested 90% of the 2022 winter wheat acreage]

State	Week ending			2018-2022 Average
	July 23, 2022	July 16, 2023	July 23, 2023	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Arkansas	100	100	100	100
California	98	65	80	95
Colorado	84	20	48	84
Idaho	2	5	12	11
Illinois	97	95	97	97
Indiana	99	89	96	97
Kansas	100	71	87	98
Michigan	63	31	47	59
Missouri	100	99	100	100
Montana	17	1	2	11
Nebraska	81	21	43	74
North Carolina	99	96	99	100
Ohio	96	85	96	93
Oklahoma	100	97	100	100
Oregon	16	15	44	31
South Dakota	58	22	46	46
Texas	100	97	100	100
Washington	5	6	20	18
18 States	76	56	68	77

Spring Wheat Headed – Selected States

[These 6 States planted 100% of the 2022 spring wheat acreage]

State	Week ending			2018-2022 Average
	July 23, 2022	July 16, 2023	July 23, 2023	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Idaho	97	95	98	95
Minnesota	91	95	97	98
Montana	84	90	94	88
North Dakota	78	79	92	92
South Dakota	94	98	100	96
Washington	95	100	100	99
6 States	83	86	94	93

Spring Wheat Condition – Selected States: Week Ending July 23, 2023

[These 6 States planted 100% of the 2022 spring wheat acreage]

State	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Idaho	1	6	30	60	3
Minnesota	-	4	22	72	2
Montana	-	11	54	29	6
North Dakota	6	12	28	51	3
South Dakota	11	21	39	24	5
Washington	2	25	33	38	2
6 States	4	12	35	45	4
Previous week	3	11	35	48	3
Previous year	1	7	24	59	9

- Represents zero.

Barley Headed – Selected States

[These 5 States planted 84% of the 2022 barley acreage]

State	Week ending			2018-2022 Average
	July 23, 2022	July 16, 2023	July 23, 2023	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Idaho	96	90	97	93
Minnesota	88	93	95	97
Montana	92	59	85	91
North Dakota	84	81	96	93
Washington	99	98	100	99
5 States	91	75	92	93

Barley Condition – Selected States: Week Ending July 23, 2023

[These 5 States planted 84% of the 2022 barley acreage]

State	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Idaho	-	2	21	74	3
Minnesota	1	4	36	54	5
Montana	1	10	51	26	12
North Dakota	4	9	33	52	2
Washington	1	11	38	50	-
5 States	2	8	38	45	7
Previous week	2	9	37	45	7
Previous year	3	11	31	46	9

- Represents zero.

Oats Headed - Selected States

[These 9 States planted 69% of the 2022 oat acreage]

State	Week ending			2018-2022 Average
	July 23, 2022	July 16, 2023	July 23, 2023	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Iowa	99	100	100	99
Minnesota	91	95	97	98
Nebraska	100	100	100	100
North Dakota	81	69	86	90
Ohio	94	94	98	97
Pennsylvania	88	95	98	92
South Dakota	96	100	100	96
Texas	100	100	100	100
Wisconsin	94	92	96	96
9 States	93	92	96	97

Oats Harvested – Selected States

[These 9 States harvested 72% of the 2022 oat acreage]

State	Week ending			2018-2022 Average
	July 23, 2022	July 16, 2023	July 23, 2023	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Iowa	35	13	36	35
Minnesota	9	6	18	10
Nebraska	53	17	39	57
North Dakota	-	-	-	1
Ohio	24	3	30	47
Pennsylvania	3	-	5	8
South Dakota	24	10	22	24
Texas	100	98	100	100
Wisconsin	8	2	10	7
9 States	21	12	21	23

- Represents zero.

Oat Condition – Selected States: Week Ending July 23, 2023

[These 9 States planted 69% of the 2022 oat acreage]

State	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Iowa	3	9	37	47	4
Minnesota	4	11	42	40	3
Nebraska	4	12	34	42	8
North Dakota	3	7	36	52	2
Ohio	-	1	17	79	3
Pennsylvania	1	1	45	48	5
South Dakota	3	17	34	39	7
Texas	19	8	45	26	2
Wisconsin	4	10	44	39	3
9 States	7	9	39	41	4
Previous week	7	9	40	41	3
Previous year	12	12	21	47	8

- Represents zero.

Pasture and Range Condition – Selected States: Week Ending July 23, 2023

[National pasture and range conditions for selected States are weighted based on pasture acreage and/or livestock inventories]

State	Very poor (percent)	Poor (percent)	Fair (percent)	Good (percent)	Excellent (percent)
Alabama	1	2	20	72	5
Arizona	14	20	37	24	5
Arkansas	2	6	42	40	10
California	5	10	15	30	40
Colorado	3	5	27	40	25
Connecticut	-	-	30	70	-
Delaware	-	15	65	15	5
Florida	3	5	28	45	19
Georgia	2	8	32	51	7
Idaho	1	9	31	39	20
Illinois	19	24	33	22	2
Indiana	5	11	34	45	5
Iowa	10	15	51	21	3
Kansas	8	21	41	25	5
Kentucky	2	5	21	65	7
Louisiana	4	11	38	42	5
Maine	-	-	40	48	12
Maryland	17	13	33	35	2
Massachusetts	-	-	20	80	-
Michigan	7	37	34	19	3
Minnesota	9	23	36	29	3
Mississippi	2	5	35	51	7
Missouri	25	34	30	11	-
Montana	2	15	44	36	3
Nebraska	3	8	30	44	15
Nevada	10	15	40	30	5
New Hampshire	-	20	45	25	10
New Jersey	-	-	2	98	-
New Mexico	7	19	36	18	20
New York	6	9	45	23	17
North Carolina	3	8	31	57	1
North Dakota	1	6	30	60	3
Ohio	-	4	28	64	4
Oklahoma	2	6	26	57	9
Oregon	3	14	61	16	6
Pennsylvania	2	18	30	45	5
Rhode Island	-	-	5	95	-
South Carolina	4	5	27	56	8
South Dakota	4	10	30	45	11
Tennessee	2	6	20	61	11
Texas	24	24	29	19	4
Utah	2	6	36	45	11
Vermont	-	-	-	100	-
Virginia	5	13	32	45	5
Washington	2	33	41	24	-
West Virginia	3	10	30	51	6
Wisconsin	10	24	36	28	2
Wyoming	1	3	17	78	1
48 States	9	15	32	35	9
Previous week	9	15	29	37	10
Previous year	25	25	25	22	3

- Represents zero.

Days Suitable for Fieldwork - Selected States

[Days suitable for fieldwork are weighted based on cropland acreage]

State	Week ending		
	July 23, 2022	July 16, 2023	July 23, 2023
	(Days)	(Days)	(Days)
Alabama	5.5	4.2	6.0
Arizona	6.4	7.0	7.0
Arkansas	6.4	4.4	5.6
California	7.0	7.0	7.0
Colorado	6.7	5.7	5.0
Connecticut	6.0	4.0	4.6
Delaware	6.0	6.0	5.0
Florida	6.6	5.6	6.3
Georgia	5.2	5.9	6.1
Idaho	6.9	7.0	7.0
Illinois	5.6	5.1	6.3
Indiana	5.5	5.7	5.8
Iowa	6.1	4.7	6.3
Kansas	6.8	5.3	5.3
Kentucky	5.8	5.5	4.4
Louisiana	6.2	4.8	5.8
Maine	7.0	4.5	7.0
Maryland	6.0	7.0	5.5
Massachusetts	5.0	5.0	5.3
Michigan	5.6	4.0	5.1
Minnesota	5.7	5.7	6.4
Mississippi	6.3	4.1	5.5
Missouri	6.4	6.1	5.9
Montana	7.0	6.9	7.0
Nebraska	6.4	4.6	5.5
Nevada	7.0	7.0	7.0
New Hampshire	6.0	2.7	4.1
New Jersey	7.0	6.0	6.0
New Mexico	6.3	6.5	6.6
New York	6.0	5.0	5.0
North Carolina	6.3	4.8	6.6
North Dakota	6.2	6.2	6.7
Ohio	4.4	5.2	5.0
Oklahoma	6.8	4.8	5.9
Oregon	7.0	6.8	7.0
Pennsylvania	6.5	6.0	5.5
Rhode Island	7.0	6.0	6.0
South Carolina	6.0	5.6	6.0
South Dakota	6.4	6.1	6.7
Tennessee	5.9	5.2	3.3
Texas	6.7	6.0	6.5
Utah	6.7	7.0	7.0
Vermont	5.5	1.8	3.5
Virginia	6.1	5.7	6.3
Washington	7.0	7.0	7.0
West Virginia	5.5	5.1	5.4
Wisconsin	5.8	5.4	6.0
Wyoming	6.5	6.3	5.6

Topsoil Moisture Condition - Selected States: Week Ending July 23, 2023

[National topsoil moisture conditions for selected States are weighted based on cropland acreage]

State	Very short (percent)	Short (percent)	Adequate (percent)	Surplus (percent)
Alabama	1	10	81	8
Arizona	10	16	73	1
Arkansas	1	9	72	18
California	20	15	65	-
Colorado	2	6	74	18
Connecticut	-	-	50	50
Delaware	-	-	80	20
Florida	3	12	73	12
Georgia	9	34	55	2
Idaho	3	35	62	-
Illinois	14	35	46	5
Indiana	11	28	58	3
Iowa	13	42	43	2
Kansas	8	23	60	9
Kentucky	2	13	73	12
Louisiana	8	33	58	1
Maine	-	-	66	34
Maryland	12	20	67	1
Massachusetts	-	-	50	50
Michigan	7	17	64	12
Minnesota	22	42	35	1
Mississippi	4	12	69	15
Missouri	34	33	33	-
Montana	12	43	44	1
Nebraska	12	32	53	3
Nevada	15	25	60	-
New Hampshire	-	-	40	60
New Jersey	-	-	59	41
New Mexico	23	39	37	1
New York	3	11	70	16
North Carolina	15	29	56	-
North Dakota	17	35	47	1
Ohio	4	21	68	7
Oklahoma	5	24	67	4
Oregon	32	39	29	-
Pennsylvania	-	23	75	2
Rhode Island	-	-	50	50
South Carolina	1	19	68	12
South Dakota	8	33	56	3
Tennessee	1	6	70	23
Texas	34	33	29	4
Utah	6	38	53	3
Vermont	-	-	40	60
Virginia	8	18	67	7
Washington	47	33	20	-
West Virginia	5	39	56	-
Wisconsin	19	43	38	-
Wyoming	5	18	72	5
48 States	14	29	52	5
Previous week	12	26	56	6
Previous year	21	29	47	3

- Represents zero.

Subsoil Moisture Condition - Selected States: Week Ending July 23, 2023

[National subsoil moisture conditions for selected States are weighted based on cropland acreage]

State	Very short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Alabama	3	6	87	4
Arizona	8	17	74	1
Arkansas	2	14	74	10
California	-	20	80	-
Colorado	2	5	74	19
Connecticut	-	-	50	50
Delaware	-	4	91	5
Florida	2	15	71	12
Georgia	5	29	63	3
Idaho	4	31	64	1
Illinois	17	26	53	4
Indiana	14	30	54	2
Iowa	17	46	36	1
Kansas	9	32	55	4
Kentucky	2	13	75	10
Louisiana	5	33	62	-
Maine	-	-	72	28
Maryland	11	25	64	-
Massachusetts	-	-	50	50
Michigan	10	30	48	12
Minnesota	19	42	38	1
Mississippi	3	11	74	12
Missouri	37	34	29	-
Montana	8	48	43	1
Nebraska	23	35	41	1
Nevada	15	25	60	-
New Hampshire	-	-	40	60
New Jersey	-	-	97	3
New Mexico	24	41	35	-
New York	6	21	66	7
North Carolina	7	30	63	-
North Dakota	11	34	54	1
Ohio	5	25	68	2
Oklahoma	5	22	70	3
Oregon	28	39	33	-
Pennsylvania	8	13	76	3
Rhode Island	-	-	50	50
South Carolina	-	10	73	17
South Dakota	11	38	49	2
Tennessee	2	9	70	19
Texas	28	35	35	2
Utah	5	29	60	6
Vermont	-	-	40	60
Virginia	12	22	60	6
Washington	39	34	27	-
West Virginia	6	42	52	-
Wisconsin	23	38	39	-
Wyoming	10	25	63	2
48 States	14	31	52	3
Previous week	13	30	53	4
Previous year	20	29	48	3

- Represents zero.

Crop Progress and Condition Tables Expected Next Week

Barley: Headed, Harvested, Condition

Corn: Silking, Dough, Condition

Cotton: Squaring, Setting Bolls, Condition

Oats: Harvested, Condition

Pasture and Range: Condition

Peanuts: Pegging, Condition

Rice: Headed, Condition

Sorghum: Headed, Coloring, Condition

Soybeans: Blooming, Setting Pods, Condition

Spring Wheat: Headed, Harvested, Condition

Winter Wheat: Harvested

Days Suitable for Fieldwork

Topsoil Moisture Condition

Subsoil Moisture Condition

Statistical Methodology

Survey Procedures: Crop progress and condition estimates are based on survey data collected each week from early April through the end of November. The non-probability crop progress and condition surveys include input from approximately 3,600 respondents whose occupations provide them opportunities to make visual observations and frequently bring them in contact with farmers in their counties. Based on standard definitions, these respondents subjectively estimate the progress of crops through various stages of development, as well as the progress of producer activities. They also provide subjective evaluations of crop conditions.

Most respondents complete their questionnaires on Friday or early Monday morning and submit them to the National Agricultural Statistics Service (NASS) Field Offices in their States by mail, telephone, fax, e-mail, or through a secured internet website. A small number of reports are completed on Thursday, Saturday, and Sunday. Regardless of when questionnaires are completed, respondents are asked to report for the entire week ending on Sunday. For reports submitted prior to the Sunday reference date, a degree of uncertainty is introduced by projections for weekend changes in progress and condition. By the end of the 2020 season, over 95 percent of the data were being submitted through the internet website. As a result, the majority of all data are submitted on Monday morning, significantly reducing projection uncertainty.

Respondents are sent written reporting instructions at the beginning of each season and are contacted periodically to ensure proper reporting. Terms and definitions of crop stages and condition categories used as reporting guidelines are available on the NASS website at www.nass.usda.gov/Publications/National_Crop_Progress.

Estimating Procedures: Reported data are reviewed for reasonableness and consistency by comparing with data reported the previous week and data reported in surrounding counties for the current week. Field Offices summarize the reported data to district and State levels, weighting each county's reported data by NASS county acreage estimates. Summarized indications are compared with previous week estimates, and progress items are compared with earlier stages of development and historical averages to ensure reasonableness. Weather events and respondent comments are also taken into consideration. State estimates are submitted to the Agricultural Statistics Board (ASB) along with supporting comments, where they are compared with surrounding States and compiled into a National level summary by weighting each State by its acreage estimates. National crop planting progress, progress of development stages, and condition estimates are weighted using the program State's average planted acres over the previous three crop years. National crop harvest progress estimates are weighted using the program State's average harvested acres over the previous three crop years. Pasture and range condition is weighted using pasture acreage and/or livestock inventories from the most recent Census of Agriculture. Days suitable for fieldwork, topsoil moisture and subsoil moisture are weighted using cropland acreage from the Census of Agriculture.

Revision Policy: Progress and condition estimates in the *Crop Progress* report are released after 4:00 pm ET on the first business day of the week. These estimates are subject to revision the following week.

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